BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of The Honorable John Edwards) MUR 5366 Edwards for President and Julius) Chambers, as treasuer; Howarth & Smith;) Robinson, Calcagnie & Robinson Shernoff, Bidart & Darras LLP; Turner & Associates; Wilkes & McHugh; Michelle Abu-Halimeh; Donna Hosea; Don Howarth; Robert Kern; Stacy Kern; Linda Moen; Elaine Reeves; Vikki Sanchez; Suzelle Smith; Tab Turner.

CERTIFICATION

I, Mary W. Dove, Secretary of the Federal Election Commission, do hereby certify that on April 14, 2004, the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to take the following actions in MUR 5366:

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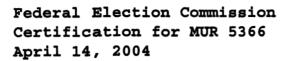
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- 1. Find reason to believe that Tab Turner and Turner & Associates knowingly and willfully violated 2 U.S.C. §§441b and 441f.
- 2. Find reason to believe that Michelle Abu-Halimeh, Amy Parker, Diana Harcourt, and Jennifer Keylon violated 2 U.S.C. §441f.

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- 5. Take no actions at this time against John Edwards and Edwards for President and Julius Chambers, as treasurer.
- 6. Find no reason to believe that any of the following respondents violated the Act in this matter and close the file as it pertains to them: Howarth & Smith; Robinson, Calcagnie & Robinson; Shernoff, Bidart & Darras LLP; Wilkes & McHugh; Donna Hosea; Don Howarth; Robert Kern; Stacy Kern; Linda Moen; Elaine Reeves; Vikki Sanchez; and Suzelle Smith.



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7. Approve the appropriate factual and legal analyses, as necessary, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated April 8, 2004.

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9. Approve the appropriate letters, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated April 8, 2004.

Commissioners Mason, McDonald, Smith, Thomas, Toner and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

April 15, 2004

Mary W. Dove

Secretary of the Commission